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Invention: METHOD AND
 PHARMACEUTICAL
 COMPOSITION FOR PREVENTING
 AND/OR TREATING SYSTEMIC
 INFLAMMATORY RESPONSE
 SYNDROME

Applicant: Jean-Marie R. Saint-Remy

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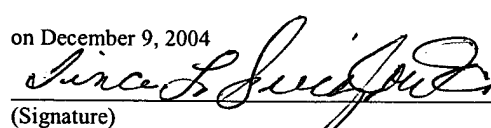
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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is a supplemental response to the Office Action mailed April 21, 2004. A response
 was filed on October 21, 2004, including a declaration of Dr. Jean-Marie Saint-Remy, which was
 unsigned. Enclosed herewith is a signed declaration.

The examiner respectfully requested to contact the undersigned if there are any questions
 regarding the document.

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Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Peter J. Shakula', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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